

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Spencer *et al.*
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Mail Stop Amendment

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action of July 17, 2007, for which a response is due on or before October 17, 2007, Applicants submit the following amendments and request reconsideration of the present application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2

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